

Chambers of District Judge Lee Yeakel

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Lee Yeakel
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1945
Education: Texas 1966 BA, 1969 JD; Virginia 2001 LLM
Began Service: July 31, 2003
Appointed By: President George W. Bush
Political Affiliation: Republican

Government: Member, National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws; Member, Licensing and Regulation Commission, State of Texas (1989-1998)

Judicial: Chief Justice, Texas Court of Appeals, Third District (1998); Justice, Texas Court of Appeals, Third District (1998-2003)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1969-1998)

Military Service: United States Marine Corps (1968-1970)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The American Law Institute; State Bar of Texas; Travis County Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Ashley McMillian** (512) 916-5756
Began Service: September 2009
Term Expires: September 2011
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Education: Houston 1982 BS; South Texas 1990 JD
Career Law Clerk **Katie Carmona** (512) 916-5756
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Education: Rice 1990 BA; Texas 1993 JD
Court Reporter **Kathy Carroll** (512) 916-5143

Chambers of District Judge Frank Montalvo

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Frank Montalvo
District Judge

Education: Puerto Rico 1976 BS; Michigan 1977 MS; Wayne State 1985 JD
Began Service: August 8, 2003
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Corporate: Engineer, General Motors Corporation (1983-1988)

Judicial: Judge, 288th Judicial District, Texas District Courts (1995-2003)

Profession: Private Practice (1988-1994)

Staff

Law Clerk **Sally J. Abrahamson** (915) 534-6600
Began Service: August 2009
Term Expires: August 2010
Education: American U 2009 JD
Career Law Clerk **Valerie Auger** (915) 534-6600
Began Service: 2008
Education: Tulane 2008 JD
Courtroom Deputy **Adriana Quezada** (915) 534-6711
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Chambers of District Judge Kathleen Cardone

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Kathleen Cardone
District Judge

Education: SUNY (Binghamton) 1976 BA; St Mary's U 1979 JD
Began Service: July 29, 2003
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Judicial: Judge, Municipal Court, City of El Paso, Texas (1990-1995); Judge, 383th Judicial District, Texas District Courts (1995-1996); Judge, Texas District Courts (1999-2000)

Profession: Private Practice (1980-1990)

Staff

Law Clerk **Noam Katz** (915) 534-6740
Term Expires: August 2011
Law Clerk **Morgan Stewart** (915) 534-6740
Began Service: 2009
Term Expires: September 2011
Career Law Clerk **Richard Wallach** (915) 534-6740
Court Reporter **David Perez** (915) 534-6740

Chambers of Senior Judge Harry Lee Hudspeth

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Harry Lee Hudspeth
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1935
Education: Texas 1955 BA, 1958 JD
Began Service: November 1979
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter
Political Affiliation: Democrat

Government: Trial Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1959-1962); Assistant United States Attorney, Western District of Texas, United States Department of Justice (1962-1969)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Western District of Texas (1977-1979)

Legal Practice: Peticolas, Luscombe & Stephens (1969-1977)

Military Service: United States Marine Corps (1958-1959)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Austin Bar Association; El Paso Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; State Bar of Texas

Staff

Law Clerk **Nicole Sims** (512) 916-5837
Began Service: July 2008
Education: Texas 2005 JD
Secretary **Jackie Willis** (512) 916-5837

Chambers of Senior Judge James R. Nowlin

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James Robertson Nowlin
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1937
Education: Trinity U 1959 BA, 1962 MA; Texas 1963 JD
Began Service: November 6, 1981
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Academic: Instructor, United States History and Government, San Antonio College (1963)

Chambers of Senior Judge James R. Nowlin continued

Government: Associate Legal Counsel, Committee on Labor and Public Welfare, United States Senate (1965-1966); State Representative (R-TX), Texas House of Representatives (1967-1971)

Judicial: Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Western District of Texas

Legal Practice: Associate, Kelso, Locke & King; Associate, Kelso, Locke & Lepick (1963-1975); Law Offices of James R. Nowlin (1975-1981)

Military Service: United States Army (1959-1960); United States Army Reserve, United States Department of the Army (1960-1968)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Colorado Bar Association; San Antonio Bar Association; State Bar of Texas; Travis County Bar Association; United States District Judges Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Ryan Bueche** (512) 916-5675
Law Clerk **Jason Huebinger** (512) 916-5675
Courtroom Deputy **Linda Clevenger** (512) 916-5675

Chambers of Senior Judge W. Royal Furgeson

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W. Royal Furgeson
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1941
Education: Texas Tech 1964 BA; Texas 1967 JD
Began Service: 2008
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American Board of Trial Advocates; American College of Trial Lawyers; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; Ector County Bar Association; El Paso Bar Association; Midland County Bar Association; State Bar of Texas; Texas Bar Foundation, State Bar of Texas; Texas Association of Defense Counsel

Staff

Law Clerk **Ryann Reaud** (210) 472-6570
Education: Texas 2008 JD
Law Clerk **Molly Spieczny** (210) 472-6570
Courtroom Deputy **Kevin K. Frye** (210) 472-6550 ext. 263
Court Reporter **Denver Roden** (210) 271-0660
Secretary **Becky Greenup** (210) 472-6570

Chambers of Senior Judge William Wayne Justice

316 Homer Thornberry Judicial Building., 903 San Jacinto Boulevard, Austin, TX 78701
Tel: (512) 916-5283

William Wayne Justice
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1920
Education: Texas 1942 LLB
Appointed By: President Lyndon B. Johnson
Political Affiliation: Democrat

Academic: Instructor, United States Army Reserve School (1960-1961)

Government: City Attorney, Office of the City Attorney, City of Athens, Texas (1948-1950); City Attorney, Office of the City Attorney, City of Athens, Texas (1952-1958); United States Attorney, Eastern District of Texas, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, John F. Kennedy Administration (1961-1968)

Judicial: Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Texas (1980-1990)

Legal Practice: Partner, Justice & Justice (1946-1961)

Chambers of Senior Judge William Wayne Justice continued

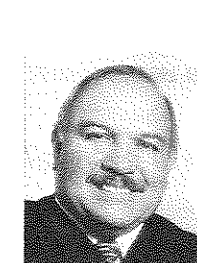
Military Service: United States Army (1942-1946)

Staff

Court Reporter **(Vacant)**
Law Clerk **Kelly Davis** (512) 916-5283
Began Service: August 2009
Term Expires: August 2010
Education: Texas 2009 JD
Legal Assistant **Luz Probus** (512) 916-5283

Chambers of Senior Judge David Briones

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**David Briones**
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1943
Education: Texas 1971 JD
Began Service: February 26, 2009
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Judicial: Judge, County Court at Law No. 1 (1991-1994)

Legal Practice: Partner, Moreno and Briones, Attorneys at Law (1971-1991)

Military Service: United States Army (1964-1966)

Current Memberships: Federal Judges Association; Mexican American Bar Association; State Bar of Texas; Texas Bar Foundation, State Bar of Texas

Staff

Law Clerk **Kristin Connor** (915) 534-6774
Began Service: September 2008
Term Expires: September 2010
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Education: Pomona 2001 BA; NYU 2008 JD
Law Clerk **Cara N. Rodriguez** (915) 534-6744
Began Service: September 4, 2007
Term Expires: September 2011
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Education: Oklahoma 2007 JD
Court Reporter **Maria del Socorro Briggs** (915) 577-9901
Secretary **Alice Acosta** (915) 534-6744

Chambers of Magistrate Judge B. Dwight Goains

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B. Dwight Goains
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: 2007
Term Expires: November 13, 2015

Staff

Law Clerk **Charity Rohlfis** (432) 570-4439
Began Service: February 2, 2009
Term Expires: August 31, 2011
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Education: Mississippi 2005 JD
Courtroom Deputy **Becky Hart** (432) 837-7323
Judicial Assistant **Susan Penney** (432) 837-9740